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For: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF

VALVE SEATS, AND VALVE

DECISION

This is a decision on the request for reconsideration of a petition under 37 CFR 1.181 filed 15 February 2008.

In response to the prior decision mailed 22 January 2008, applicants submitted a petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b) which is hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

A declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) was provided as the appropriate reply. The petition fee of \$1,540.00 has been charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1030 as authorized. Applicants make the required statement pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3). A terminal disclaimer is not required.

Accordingly, all requirements under 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been satisfied.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Patent Application Processing for further processing.

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